

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION  
CORPORATION,

Plaintiff-Applicant,

v.

BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT  
SECURITIES LLC,

Defendant.

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Adv. Pro. No. 08-1789 (SMB)

SIPA LIQUIDATION

(Substantively Consolidated)

In re:

BERNARD L. MADOFF,

Debtor.

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IRVING H. PICARD, Trustee for the Liquidation of  
Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC

Plaintiff,

v.

WILLIAM PRESSMAN, INC.; ELLEN LEV  
TRUST; ELLEN LEV, in her capacity as trustee for  
the Ellen Lev Trust; ALICE JACOBS, individually;  
ILENE MAY, individually; SHIRLEY BLANK,  
individually; ESTATE OF BEA LAUB; JAVIER  
ORDAZ, in his capacity as personal representative of  
the Estate of Bea Laub; ALICE WEINER,  
individually; HARRIET BARBUTO, individually;  
SHERMAN ROSENFELD, individually; DEBRA  
TAMBLYN, individually; ALLAN WILSON,  
individually; JOSEPH AMATURO, individually; and  
WINIFRED AMATURO, individually,

Defendants.

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Adv. Pro. No. 10-05309 (SMB)

**ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL**

Upon consideration of the application of Becker & Poliakoff LLP (the “Application”), for  
an order pursuant to Local Rule 2090-1(e) to withdraw as counsel of record for Defendants  
Shirley Blank and Allan Wilson, (the “BP Defendants”); and due and sufficient notice of the

Application having been given under the circumstances; and the Court having reviewed all pleadings and other papers filed and submitted in connection with the Application; and based upon the record of the case; and the Court having determined that the relief requested in the Application is in the best interests of the BP Defendants; and good and sufficient appearing therefor; it is hereby

**ORDERED** that the Application is granted; and it is further

**ORDERED** that Becker & Poliakoff LLP is granted leave to withdraw as counsel for the BP Defendants and is hereby deemed removed as counsel for the BP Defendant in this proceedings.

Dated: September 21<sup>st</sup>, 2015  
New York, New York

/s/ STUART M. BERNSTEIN  
Hon. Stuart M. Bernstein  
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE